

# ***HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES***

***ONE-HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
2014***

## ***WEEKLY CALENDAR***



***BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER***

***Week of February 3, 2014***

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## House Committee and Sub-Committee Schedule

### Monday

	16	29	30	31
5:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			
5:45	Joint Convention			
6:00	Governor's Address			

### Tuesday

	16	29	30	31
8:00	C&R (TBA)			
8:30				
9:00	INS. & BANKING	STATE		
9:30				
10:00				
10:30	AG & NAT. RES.		CONSUMER&HR	
11:00				
11:30				
12:00	EDUCATION		LOCAL	
12:30				
1:00				
1:30		B&U Sub	GOV. OP.	
2:00				
2:15				
2:30				
3:00	FINANCE	Health Sub	Ed Sub	Criminal Sub
3:30				
4:00				

### Wednesday

	16	29	30	31
8:00	C&R (TBA)			
8:30				
9:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			
9:30				
10:00				
10:30		FW&M Sub	C&HR Sub	
11:00				
11:30				
12:00	BUS. & UTILITIES		Local Sub	CIVIL JUSTICE
12:30				
1:00				
1:30		Ag & NR Sub	Trans. Sub	
2:00				
3:00		I&B Sub	State Sub	Civil Sub

### Thursday

	16	29	30	31
8:00	C&R (TBA)			
9:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			

\* 16, 29, 30, and 31 refer to House Hearing Rooms located in the Legislative Plaza

**Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee**

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR16 - 10:30 AM**

**Halford, Chair; Holt, Vice-Chair;**

Bailey, Butt, Floyd, Forgety, Gilmore, Hawk, Johnson G, Lollar, Marsh, Matheny,  
McDaniel, Powers, Spivey, Swann, Tidwell, Travis, Windle

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**[HB 1435](#) by \*McCormick, Swann, Brooks K (SB 1640 by \*Norris, Southerland)**

Environmental Preservation - As introduced, revises the process for third party appeals of permitting decisions pertaining to air quality, solid waste and hazardous waste. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 201; Title 68, Chapter 211 and Title 68, Chapter 212.

**[HB 1443](#) by \*Durham (SB 1509 by \*Bell)**

Comptroller, State - As introduced, transfers from the comptroller to the department of agriculture certain duties relative to the annual financial review of watershed districts. - Amends TCA Section 69-6-142.

**[HB 1448](#) by \*Hawk (SB 1677 by \*Southerland)**

Taxes, Agricultural and Open Spaces - As introduced, defines "capitalization rate" for greenbelt purposes as the average lending rate for agricultural land based on the most recent survey by the State Board of Equalization of lenders at the time of the calculation. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 10.

Presentation by the State Forestry Commission

## **Business and Utilities Committee**

**Wednesday, February 5, 2014 - HHR16 - 12:00 PM**

**Marsh, Chair; Wirgau, Vice-Chair;**

Bailey, Calfee, Doss, Goins, Hill T, Lamberth, McCormick, Pody, Powell, Sexton,  
Swann, Tidwell, Todd, Towns, White D, Williams K

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**[HB 1416](#) by \*McCormick, Carr D, Brooks K (SB 1620 by \*Norris, Southerland)**

Licenses - As introduced, requires that applicants applying for an initial registration, licensure, or certification as a real estate appraiser submit a full set of fingerprints in order for the Real Estate Commission to conduct a criminal history background check. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 39.

**[HB 1489](#) by \*Carr D (SB 1474 by \*Overbey)**

Safety - As introduced, redefines "amusement device" to include go karts used for a commercial purpose; authorizes regulation of go karts used for a commercial purpose by the elevator and amusement device safety board. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 121, Part 1.

**[HB 1378](#) by \*Hill T (SB 1259 by \*Crowe)**

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, requires customer approval prior to sale, consolidation or merger of Hampton Utility District of Carter County. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82, Part 2.

**Civil Justice Committee**

**Wednesday, February 5, 2014 - HHR31 - 12:00 PM**

**Lundberg, Chair; Womick, Vice-Chair;**

Carter, Coley, DeBerry J, Dennis, Farmer, Haynes, Jones, Stewart

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**HB 1404 by \*McCormick, Butt, Windle, Moody, Jernigan, Casada, Tidwell, Lamberth (SB 1700 by \*Green)**

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, clarifies that observation while securing a firearm or firearm ammunition in compliance with provisions concerning a handgun permit holder's ability to transport or store a firearm or firearm ammunition does not violate such provisions. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1313.

**HB 1405 by \*McCormick, Rogers, Windle, Moody, Jernigan, Butt, Casada, Tidwell, Lamberth (SB 1701 by \*Green)**

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, defines "motor vehicle" for purposes of the type of vehicle in which a handgun carry permit holder may transport and store a firearm or firearm ammunition in a parking lot. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

**HB 0494 by \*Fitzhugh (SB 0606 by \*Finney L, Burks, Overbey)**

Law Enforcement - As introduced, requires the Tennessee peace officer standards and training commission and LEAs to create a school patrol zone where local law enforcement shall patrol LEAs during the school week. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 38 and Title 49.

**HB 0206 by \*Watson, Carter (SB 0443 by \*Overbey, Massey)**

Evidence - As introduced, makes several changes regarding persons or entities providing court reporting services. - Amends TCA Title 20, Chapter 9, Part 6 and Title 24, Chapter 9, Part 1.

**Consumer and Human Resources Committee**

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR30 - 10:30 AM**

**Eldridge, Chair; Pody, Vice-Chair;**

Casada, Lynn, McManus, Towns, Turner J, Turner M, White M, Womick

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No Bills On Notice Committee Will Meet

Presentation

Abbie Hudgens, Administrator

Division of Workers' Compensation

**Criminal Justice Committee**

**Wednesday, February 5, 2014 - HHR31 - 10:30 AM**

**Watson, Chair; Faison, Vice-Chair;**

Akbari, Farmer, Gilmore, Hardaway, Lamberth, Parkinson, Rich, Rogers,  
Shiple, Van Huss, Weaver

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No Bills On Notice Committee Will NOT Meet

## Education Committee

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR16 - 12:00 PM**

**Brooks H, Chair; Forgety, Vice-Chair;**

Akbari, Brooks K, Coley, DeBerry J, Dunn, Kane, Lollar, Love, Moody, Pitts,  
White D, White M, Williams R

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**HB 1105 by \*Hill M, Van Huss (SB 1260 by \*Crowe)**

Education - As introduced, authorizes the department of education to create a pilot project to explore methods of providing comprehensive school safety and mental health services through LEAs. - Amends TCA Title 49.

**HB 1089 by \*Brooks H (SB 0975 by \*McNally, Gresham)**

Education, Higher - As introduced, requires that, prior to being submitted to the general assembly, all requests for funding certain higher education projects for a board of regents or University of Tennessee member institution be reviewed and acted upon through existing procedures governing such requests. - Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 49.

**HB 1383 by \*Sexton (SB 1445 by \*Dickerson)**

Health Care - As introduced, adds administration of insulin to medications school personnel may volunteer to administer. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5.

### Presentations to be Heard:

"Tennessee Geographic Alliance," Dr. Kurt Butefish, University of Tennessee, Dr. Brenda Barr, National Geographic Society, Bob Kirkland, Maryville High School, Neill Jobe, Geo-Jobe GIS Consulting

"TVAAS," Jim Wrye, TEA



**Finance, Ways & Means Committee**

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR16 - 03:00 PM**

**Sargent, Chair; Alexander, Vice-Chair;**

Armstrong, Calfee, Camper, Carter, Brooks K, Cooper, Fitzhugh, Hall, Harrison,  
Hawk, Hill M, Johnson C, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Odom, Roach, Shaw

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**[HB 0552](#) by \*McManus (SB 0462 by \*Yager, McNally, Kelsey)**

Bonds and Undertakings, Regulation of - As introduced, requires the comptroller to approve any debt or change in debt structure by a local government entity. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 21.

Budget Overview Presentation  
Commissioner Larry Martin  
Department of Finance and Administration

## Government Operations Committee Consent Calendar

Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR30 - 01:30 PM

**Matheny, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;**

Carr J, Casada, Evans, Fitzhugh, Halford, Hardaway, Johnson C, McCormick,  
Turner J, Turner M

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**[HB 1577](#) by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1523 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the advisory council on child nutrition and wellness. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 1, Part 23.

**[HB 1584](#) by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1563 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the Tennessee alliance for fitness and health. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 4, Chapter 40.

**[HB 1599](#) by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1544 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Interstate Mining Compact, June 30, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 59, Chapter 10.

**[HB 1600](#) by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1545 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Interstate Nurse Licensure Compact, June 30, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 3.

**[HB 1601](#) by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1546 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the judicial information system advisory committee. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 16, Chapter 3, Part 8.

**[HB 1603](#) by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1526 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the board of law examiners, June 30, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 23, Chapter 1.

**[HB 1609](#) by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1557 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the state law library commission, June 30, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 10, Chapter 4, Part 1.

**HB 1610 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1570 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the Tennessee court information system (TnCIS) steering committee. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 16, Chapter 3, Part 8 and Section 18-1-105.

**HB 1611 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1571 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee dairy promotion committee, June 30, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 44, Chapter 19, Part 1.

**HB 1616 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1541 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Four Lake regional industrial development authority, June 30, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 64, Chapter 5, Part 2 and Section 67-9-102.

**HB 1617 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1576 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As enacted, terminates the Tennessee governor's council on physical fitness and health. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 4, Chapter 40, Part 1.

**HB 1626 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1550 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the pest control compact. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 43, Chapter 6, Part 3.

**HB 1628 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1552 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the school bond authority, June 30, 2022. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 12.

**HB 1629 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1577 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee public television council, June 30, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 49, Chapter 50, Part 9.

**HB 1631 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1581 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the Tennessee tobacco farmers certifying board. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 43, Chapter 36.

**HB 1635 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1539 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the employee misclassification advisory task force. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 50, Chapter 6, Part 9.

**HB 1636 by \*Matheny, Ragan (SB 1540 by \*Bell)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the energy efficient schools council, June 30, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 49, Chapter 17, Part 1.

**Government Operations Committee**

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR30 - 01:30 PM**

**Matheny, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;**

Carr J, Casada, Evans, Fitzhugh, Halford, Hardaway, Johnson C, McCormick,  
Turner J, Turner M

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**[HB 1005](#) by \*Kane, Haynes, Eldridge, Matlock (SB 0880 by \*Tracy)**

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced,  
makes various changes concerning coverage of sinkhole losses  
and subsequent structural repair. - Amends TCA Section 56-7-130.

**Health Committee**

**Wednesday, February 5, 2014 - HHR16 - 01:30 PM**

**Ramsey, Chair; Williams R, Vice-Chair;**

Dennis, Doss, Favors, Harrison, Hill T, Jernigan, Johnson G, Littleton, Odom,  
Rich, Sexton, Shepard, Shipley, Turner M, Van Huss, Wirgau

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No Bills On Notice Committee Will NOT Meet

## Insurance and Banking Committee

Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR16 - 09:00 AM

**McManus, Chair; Keisling, Vice-Chair;**

Casada, Durham, Favors, Fitzhugh, Johnson C, Kane, Love, Lundberg, Lynn,  
Matlock, Pitts, Powers, Ragan, Sargent, Shepard, Travis

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**HB 1265 by \*Brooks K, Williams R, Keisling, Casada, Shepard, Favors, Johnson C, Ragan, Powers, Pitts, Kane, Hawk, Forgety, Matlock, Durham, Carr D, Fitzhugh, Johnson G, Farmer, Love, Brooks H, Coley, Spivey, Faison (SB 1286 by \*Tracy, Massey, Burks, Tate, Yager, Gresham, Kyle, Ketron, Green, Crowe, Ramsey, Niceley)**

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires health insurance policies to cover screening, diagnosis and treatment of autism spectrum disorders. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 23.

**HB 1247 by \*Keisling (SB 1350 by \*Yager)**

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, reduces the time period that commercial lines insurance insurers have to furnish a requesting insured with a loss run history and subjects insurers violating the time-period to certain penalties. - Amends TCA Title 56.

**HB 0926 by \*Casada (SB 1142 by \*Green, Norris)**

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, establishes and revises requirements involving utilization review of preauthorizations for health care services. - Amends TCA Title 56.

**HB 0937 by \*Durham, Powers, Ragan, Calfee, Rich, Casada, Goins, Rogers, Carr J, Floyd, Matheny, Dennis, White D, Littleton, Evans, Kane, Lamberth, Lynn, Sargent, Faison, Butt, Matlock, Todd, Womick, Spivey, Weaver, Lundberg, Holt (SB 0804 by \*Kelsey, Bowling, Tracy, Ketron, Gresham, Bell, Southerland, Niceley, Stevens, Gardenhire, Campfield, Beavers, Summerville, Haile, Johnson)**

TennCare - As introduced, prohibits Tennessee from participating in any Medicaid expansion authorized under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 71.

Representatives from TennCare and the Department of Commerce & Insurance will be available to answer questions regarding the Patient Protection & Affordable Care Act.



**Local Government Committee**

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR30 - 12:00 PM**

**Hill M, Chair; Floyd, Vice-Chair;**

Carr D, Carr J, Dean, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Hall, Holt, Jones, Miller,  
Mitchell, Parkinson, Sparks, Stewart

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**[HB 1469](#) by \*Ragan (SB 2323 by \*McNally)**

Lake City - As introduced, changes the name of the city of Lake City to the city of Rocky Top. - Amends Chapter 227 of the Private Acts of 1992; and any other acts amendatory thereto.

**[HB 0959](#) by \*Kane (SB 0247 by \*Campfield)**

County Government - As introduced, permits certain charter counties to assess and enforce civil penalties for ordinance violations through an administrative, rather than a judicial, process.  
- Amends TCA Title 5 and Title 16.

**State Government Committee**

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR29 - 09:00 AM**

**Haynes, Chair; Butt, Vice-Chair;**

Evans, Jernigan, Moody, Powell, Ramsey, Sanderson, Shaw, Spivey, Todd,  
Watson, Williams K

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**HJR 0563 by \*Ramsey, McCormick**

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - William J.  
Carver, Tennessee education lottery board of directors. -

**HJR 0561 by \*Love, McCormick, Favors**

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Charles  
Traugher, Tennessee ethics commission. -

**HJR 0562 by \*Cooper, McCormick**

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Pearl D. Shaw,  
Tennessee education lottery board of directors. -

**HB 0562 by \*Williams R, Weaver, Pody, Sexton (SB 1072 by \*Burks)**

Sunset Laws - As introduced, creates sunrise provisions for state  
development districts and human resource agencies, June 30,  
2015; reduces the number of members who serve on development  
district and human resource agency boards. - Amends TCA Title 4,  
Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 13, Chapter 26 and Title 13, Chapter 14.

**HB 1411 by \*McCormick, Travis, Brooks K (SB 1615 by \*Norris, Stevens,  
Ketrone, Bowling, Burks)**

Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, clarifies that the existing law  
relative to the clothing, transportation, and money of discharged  
inmates does not limit the commissioner of correction's ability or  
discretion to enact policies or undertake rehabilitative, anti-  
recidivism, or reentry assistance programs for probationers or  
parolees. - Amends TCA Section 41-21-219.

**HB 1412 by \*McCormick, White M, Brooks K (SB 1616 by \*Norris, McNally, Ketron, Bowling, Burks)**

Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, establishes a filing deadline, of six months from the date that medical services are provided, for claims against the state relative to the payment of expenses for the medical care of prisoners; establishes a filing deadline, of six months from the date of entry of judgment of conviction, for claims against the state relative to the payment of costs incurred in the prosecution and safekeeping of criminal defendants. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 25, Part 1 and Section 41-4-115.

**HB 1422 by \*McCormick, Pody, Brooks K (SB 1626 by \*Norris, Hensley)**

Finance and Administration, Dept. of - As introduced, requires a criminal history background check, including a fingerprint check, of all employees of the office of information resources having certain information or system access; includes procedures and additional requirements relating to the background check. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 55.

**HJR 0564 by \*Rogers, McCormick**

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Susan S. Lanigan, Tennessee education lottery board of directors. -

The Committee will have the Human Rights Commission for their BUDGET HEARING at the beginning of the committee.

The committee will hear the calendar immediately following the hearing at 9:30a.m.

**Transportation Committee**

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 - HHR16 - 01:30 PM**

**Dean, Chair; Sparks, Vice-Chair;**

Alexander, Armstrong, Camper, Carr D, Cooper, Dunn, Goins, Keisling, Littleton,  
Matlock, Mitchell, Roach, Rogers, Sanderson, Weaver, Windle

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No Bills On Notice Committee Will NOT Meet